on the Board, and the election of Judge Morrison,

of Smethport, as its President. After which the different sites offered for the Home were discussed,

the choice finally being between those offered by the towns of Huntingdon and Brookville. There

not being a full attendance of the Site Committee, and those present failing to agree between these two offers, the meeting was adjourned to meet at

Harrisburg Oct. 31, when a choice will be made and the Home located. The members of the committee present at Huntingdon were George Boyer, of the G.A.R., Harrisburg; Annie Wittenmyer, National President, Secane; Helen S. Morrison, Smethport, Department President; Jennie M.

Reavley, Eric, Past Department President, and S.

M. Lennard, Wilkes-Barre.
The citizens of the beautiful old town of Hunt-

ingdon generally seemed to take a lively interest

n the location of the Home there, and vied with

each other in making our visit a pleasant one. To Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Woods, and

Mr. Schumacker are we especially indebted for

JOHNSTOWN HEROINES.

Thursday morning Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Reavley and your correspondent left for Johnstown, and as the day was a glorious one, and no more auspicious

time could be chosen to travel over this grand and

picturesque mountain division of the Pennsylvania

railroad than this season of the year, when the

pally from houses that were floated by the back-

meeting of Emory Fisher Corps, No. 27, where we

found a goodly number of quiet, sad-faced ladies

in whose careworn countenances we could read the story of the dreadful calamity which they had sur-

vived. The meeting was a touching one, and as Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Reavley feelingly address-

ed them tears and sobs betokened their sorrow

Here was the wife whose husband had perished

success, as it could not help being under the wide

with the many beautiful articles offered for sale. Our party were very hospitably entertained by this

quarters, where we found Abble Lynch, National

Telephone Building, Sandusky street, Allegheny, where Mrs. Lynch will be pleased to meet any of

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

the first six months of the administration of Mary

R. Morgan, Department President, is exceedingly

\$26.15. Local relief not given. Since Jan. 1, 1889,

the membership of the Department of Nebraska

Proceedings of the sixth Department Convention of Connecticut, W.R.C., are before us, through the

houghtfulness of F. Adelaide Sackett, Department

Treasurer, Hartford. It is issued in good style, and

New York sustains a great loss and Wisconsin has a great gain in the removal of Emma J. Car-

penter, so long the able and amiable Department Secretary of New York, to the latter State. Kate

Poole Baldwin, of Root Corps, No. 20, Syracuse,

In General Orders, No. 3, Amanda O'Daniel, De-

f Julia Brown, member Soldiers' Home Commit-

at their County fair cleared \$79. These earnest

workers expect to have a bazar in November.

work and pleasing manner won all hearts.

MONUMENTS.

Tributes to the Memory of Fallen Heroes,

Connecticut Monuments.

The veterans of the 17th Conn. dedicated

Fuesday morning, Oct. 22, their 20-foot granite

In the afternoon the 27th Conn. veterans

The Bayfield Monument.

A monument 23 feet high, of Barre (Vt.)

granite, has just been erected in the cemetery

at Bayfield, Wis., to the memory of deceased

soldiers. It is in a sightly section of the ceme-

tery, which is set apart for the resting-place of

any soldiers or their near relatives who may

happen to die in that vicinity. On a finely-

polished die in the monument, covering a space

20 inches wide and 54 inches long, is the fol-

lowing inscription: " Erected to the memory of

deceased soldiers, their widows and orphans, by

base of the monument are two crossed swords,

and the spire is surmounted by a gun and flag.

The 4th N. Y. Cay. Monument.

N. Y. Cav. monument on the 2d of September.

The monument was unvailed at 11 a. m. imme-

diately after the dedication of the 10th N. Y.

Compade Saxe, of 4th N. Y. Cav., and not by

Mai. Jenkins. The monument was unvailed

by Master Harry (not Mary) Caufield (six years

S. C. (Confederate), who now lives in New

York. He was wounded at the Peach Orchard.

Hearing Perfectly Restored

monument. The oration was delivered by entertainment and Campfire.

ended the ceremonies.

shaft on the southeast side of Cemetery Hill,

during the recent Encampment.

tee, to the Home at Newark. She found 265 in-

succeeds Mrs. Carpenter as Department Secretary.

has increased from 1,400 to 1,992, a gain of 592.

is a record of systematic and thorough work.

An abstract of the W.R.C. work of Nebraska for

ing Secretary, Nookville, Pa.

cretary, and Annie Wittenmyer, National Presi-

kindness and hospitality shown us,

the devastated streets answered us.

water from Johnstown proper.

News From the Departments---New Posts. etc.

HEADQUARTERS BULLETIN.

HEADQUARTERS GEAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, DETROIT, MICH., Oct. 22, 1889. 1 Commander-in-Chief Alger has issued General that all Posts which have not contributed to the of Co. G, 5th Pa, Cav. Both are unworthy. The comrades of Post No. 78, Middletown, have Grant Monument fund, shall send their contributions at once to Quartermaster-General John Taylor, Philadelphia, Pa. The Memorial Committee | the name of Col. Owen Jones, and Post No. 585 desires to close its books Dec. 1, and take imme- will hereafter be known as John S. Melvin Post. diate steps for the crection of the proposed monu-

The appointment of Comrade William Cogswell, Post 34, of Salem, Mass., is announced as Senior Aid and Chief of Staff. Comrade Geo. W. Sanders is the member of the Council of Administration for the Department of Arizona. ---

DEPARTMENT NEWS.

[The Assistant Adjutants-General of the different Departments are respectfully requested to forward a copy of the Department rosters for 1889 to THE NATIONAL TRIBUNE.

COLORADO.-Hart Post, No. 74, and Shuler Post, No. 67, held Kearny. A very enjoyable time was had, and the affair will no doubt be repeated.

L. W. Steele Post, No. 34, Torrington, held a rousing Campfire on Oct. 28. Department Commander Pierpont was present and made an eloquent address. The ladies of the Relief Corps furnished

A reception was tendered Mrs. John A. Logan on Oct. 24, by Post No. 540, Evanston, assisted by the citizens of the village. The exercises were held in the First Methodist Church, the auditorium of which was profusely decorated with the National colors, flowers and military emblems. From the Logan, draped with flags and surmounted by a wreath of evergreens. Mrs. Logan was enthusiastically received. Col. Weeden, Commander of Logan Post, made the opening address, in which he cologized the dead General. Gen. Beveridge welcomed the guest of the evening to Evanston. The response was made by the Rev. Dr. Frank M. Bristol, of Chicago, in place of John A. Logan, jr., who was unable to be present. Senior Vice Commanderin-Chief Weissert also made an address. The Rev. A. Jones, D. D., in a neatly-worded speech, presented to Mrs. Logan a beautiful testimonial in the name of the citizens of Evanston. The testimonial is of seal leather, bound in sterling silver clasps and edges. The leaves are of solid silver, approprintely designed and engraved. Upon the first page is the following: "On Thursday, the 24th day of October, 1889, Gen. John A. Logan Post, No. 540, G.A.R., and the citizens of Evanston, entertained Mary C. Logan at the First Methodist Episcopal Church in their village." The second page bears this inscription: "An address of welcome was made Arnold Post, No. 4 Proto her, and eulogies were pronounced on the emirial of these facts and as an expres tion for her as a wife, mother, and gifted woman."

citizens of Evanston were present. Elisworth Post, No. 172, Oquawka, was presented Oct. 11. The presentation speech was made by Mrs. Florence E. Boden, President of the Corps. Gen. U. S. Grant Post, No. 28, Chicago, will hold a Campfire on Nov. 12. Gen. Huribut Post, Belvidere, will hold an anniversary celebration on Nov. 12.

Earlion Post, No. 206, Earlion, has adopted resolutions of regret on the death of Comrade John J.

MARYLAND .-Bodge Post, Baltimore, was presented with a record book by its friends on Oct, 19. Dr. A. J. Huntoon, of Washington, D. C., made the presentation speech, and the gift was received by Col. T. F. Lang on behalf of the Post, The record is a large and handsomely-bound volume intended to contain the names of every member and giving a com-plete military or naval history of each, certified to upon honer and by autograph. At the close of the life of each member the resolutions of respect passed by the Post are engrossed in the proper place, thus

forming a complete military history of each private, as well as officer. It is designed that the books at the termination of the organization shall be placed in the public library, to be gathered eventually into the Congressional Library. MASSACHUSETTS .-Commander Henry K. Wing, of Cyrus M. Wheaton Post. No 182, Somerset, has resigned The armed guard of E. K. Wilcox Post, No. 16,

Springfield, will give dances Nov. 14 and 28.

Past Commander Clins. W. Rhondes, of Thos. G.

Stevenson Post, No. 26, has been elected Vice-President of the Highland Club, West Roxbury. Abraham Lincoln Post, No. 11, Charlestown, has endered Lincoln and George H. Thomas Posts, Ban Francisco, the use of its headquarters during their visit to Boston next Summer. The members of Henry Bryant Post, No. 98,

act of incorporation as the "G.A.R. Association," with power to take and hold property, its objects being the immediate erection of a Grand Army Memorial Hall. George W. Perry Post, No. 31, Scituate, is making arrangements toward procuring a new flag and markers for the Post and having the muskets nickel-plated, so as to be in good order for the grand parade at the coming National Encampment.

MICHIGAN .-Col. Baker Post, No. 84, Kalkaska, is building a new hall, to cost between \$1,500 and \$2,000.

Garfield Post, No. 8, St. Paul, has had a change of officers recently. The new roster is as follows: Commander, George Hunter; S. V. C., Theodore Bander; J. V. C., J. Sowder; Adj't, James S. Hughes; Q. M., C. J. Lange; Surg., O. S. Pine; Chap., L.S. White; O. D., W. H. Eyles; O. G., Peter Oram; S. M., Henry A. Morse; Q. M. S., James Kavanaugh. The report from the Post for the third quarter shows that it is in a flourishing condition, both as to increasing membership and

MISSOURI. Ransom Post; No. 131, St. Louis, has adopted olutions of regret on the death of Comrade T. R. Geliwicks.

John S. Phelps Post, No. 297, St. James, has dopted resolutions condemning the removal of Dr. Geo. M, Siegenthaler as a member of the Rolla Board of Pension Surgeons, and the appointment to that office of Dr. R. L. Johnson, an unrepentant NEW JERSEY .-

Auron Wilkes Post, No. 23, Trenton, will visit Boston during the National Encampment, and be quartered at the Maverick House, East Boston. fraternal courtesies will be extended by Joseph | Oct. 22. Hooker Post, No. 23. NEW YORK .-Since the selection of Gen. Horatio C. King as

Commander of Charles R. Donne Post, No. 499, Brooklyn, that Post has enjoyed a period of unin-terrupted peace and happiness. The business is swiftly completed, and the Encampments inspired number of needy comrades,
Horatio Scymour Post, No. 590, Yonkers, held a
The lat N. Y. I freshments were served. Morell Post, No. 44, Sing Sing, attended the Campfire in a body.

OREGON.-G. K. Warren Post, No. 21, North Yambill, warns all comrades to beware of a man by the name of M. O. Hoiston, who sometimes calls himself Mark Willson. He is about five feet 10 inches in OHIO. hight, has small, pale-blue eyes, and claims to be a pension agent. He also claims to have belonged to the 16th Ili. Cav., Chicago Dragoons and 4th U. S. Inf. He is a fraud, and unworthy of assistance.

PENNSYLVANIA .-A Post was instituted at Winnipeg. Canada, on Oct. 25, by Mustering Officer George L. Brown, of Post No 8, Department of Pennsylvania. The following officers were elected: Commander, Harper Wilson; S. V. C., W. Hall; J. V. C., J. A. Payne; Q. M., J. H. Morgan; O. D., O. M. Ross; O. G., R. Y. Dodd; Adj't, S. V. Van Ranselaer; Q. M., I. N. Fullerton; Q. M. S., J. W. Fullerton. After the installation committees were appointed and arrangements are being made for a grand Campfire to be held at an early day, when rations in ye ancient style, such as pork and beans, coffee and hardisck, will be issued by the Commissary-Ser-geant. All ex-Union soldiers and sallors will be invited to the feast, when they will have the opportunity of once more trying to run the guard. The official number of this Post is 592, and it will be attached to the Department of Pennsylvania. On last Monday night Department Commander

Mewari and staff paid an official visit to Post No. \$6, of Frankford, Baker Post No. 8, of Philadelphia, will in all probability take possession of its new Post room on Thursday, Nov. 21, as the anniversary of the Post occurs on November 20.

For the benefit of the people who take especial pains to deery the fact that a man could have susas a newspaper man on Saturday last. Chatting with Comrade John Donald, cierk in the Coroner's Office of Philadelphia, and a member of Post No. bl, he incidentally spoke of the death of a comrade sed John Scott, who resided at No. 1916 Titan street, in that city. It appears that during the battie of Gettysburg Scott received a serious wound. Bubsequently he was esptured by the rebeis and ed in Audersonville for 22 months. When he was finally released his health was broken down, and he returned to his native city a physical wreck. He was averse to applying to the Government for a pension, but in 1884 his friends prevailed apon him to make application. Repeated efforts

to secure the pension falled, and on Saturday be died, without ever having received one penny from the Government which he helped to save. His death was due directly to the hardships of his war expericuce. This the Coroner's jury decided after an investigation. Some of the Copperheads should clip this out and investigate for themselves. This

is only one case in hundreds. Since the issue of General Orders, No. 20, dated Sept. 17, the following Posts have been mustered: John Q. Taylor Post, No. 589, at Buck Valley Oct. 5, by J. S. Murphy, of Post No. 528; Isaiah Lah-man, Commander. George H. Elliott Post, No. 593, at Uniontown, Oct. 14, by C. H. Livingtone, of Post No. 180: James M. Palmer, Commander, The following is an extract from the last General Order: "Posts are warned against assisting one Charles Hart (or Harp), claiming to be a member of Post No. I. Department of Pennsylvania, and at times of Post No. I, Department of Delaware; also Order No. 5, in which he makes an earnest request | J. S. Ludwig, who claims to have been a member

changed the name of that Post from Wm. Starr to Gen. Simon Cameron, Post No. 581 has adopted The Rose Guards, of Post No. 94, Philadelphia, will give a concert at Lincoln Hall on November At Department Headquarters last week I ran

across Comrade Charles P. Keech, of West Chester. He still takes a live interest in G.A.R. matters, but never neglects his regimental association, the There is nothing new in the matter of a success

or to Gen. Hartranft as Commander-in-Chief of the Penusylvania militia. I am still inclined to the belief that Gen. Gobin will be appointed. My inormation comes from the highest and most reliable authority. POTOMAC .-

Lincoln Post, No. 3, Washington, held a Campfire on Oct. 30, at which Corporal Tanner made an address. He related a series of army anecdotes, most of them being woven about his own career as an Encampment Oct. 18, 19 and 20, near Fort Phil. | a soldier. He said that he had seen a newspaper statement to the effect that he had received his wounds while running away from a battlefield, in response to which he had only to say "that the ancestors of the fabricator of that story crucified Christ," and further that it had been refuted by the men with whom he fought. "I simply claim for myself," he said, "that I kept up with the procession in the line that was led by Gen. Phil Kearny." The ex-Commissioner was frequently and vigorously applauded. An illustrated lecture on the gusboats of the Mississippi, what they did and how they did it, was delivered by Comrade W. H. Mitchell. Col. Joyce recited his humorous poem on the "Army Sutier." The entertainment closed with stereopticon views on the different phases of

soldier life, by Comrade Mitchell. James A. Garfield Post, No. 7, Washington, held wall bung a well-executed crayon portrait of Gen. a Campfire Oct. 21, and its members and their visiting comrades had a glorious time. The ball was opened by a bountiful repast which seemed to be fully appreciated by those present, and this was followed by humorous and interesting stories of personal army experience, recitations and good music. Prof. Frank C. Miller kindly gave his services to the Post for the evening, presiding at the organ in masterly style, rendering some of his beautiful songs in his best manner, and leading the singing of old songs the boys used to sing around the campfire during the perilous evenings of the war. It was an occasion long to be remembered by those who were present. Garfield Post is now is in the form of a book of two leaves. The book on the top wave of success under the management of its gentlemanly and efficient officers, led by Commander F. W. Paige. A beautiful and magnificently-toned organ has lately been added to the attractions of the Post-room by its Committee on entertainments, of which Vice Commander E. A. Fenton is Chairman.

Arnold Post, No. 4, Providence, dedicated its new hall Oct. 21. After the transaction of routine pent services to the Nation of Gen. John A. Logan, | business, Senior Vice Commander Albert E. Sholes, and the citizens have made this record as a memo- of the Department of Georgia, was introduced to the Post by Commander Hutchison in a very neat speech. Comrade Sholes said he had mustered in With sentiments of the highest regards for the good After the public exercises a reception was held in | nine of the 15 Posts of the Department of Georgia, the vestry of the church, at which hundreds of the and that he installed the officers of Gen. Robert Anderson Post within the memorable walls of Fort Sumter in August last. Other speeches were with a beautiful flag by Elisworth Relief Corps on | made by comrades, and the evening passed very

Babbitt Post, No. 15. Bristol, has never had occasion to drop one of its members from the rolls of the Post. Department Commander Williams and staff visited this Post recently.

WEST VIRGINIA .-Phil. Sheridan Post, Wheeling, held a very en; ovable Campfire Oct. 25. Supper, consisting of stories told, songs sung, and a good time had gen-

The Corps Badges in "Hard Tack and Coffee" are the most elegant and accurate ever issued. No wonder the book is having such a sale. Address for circulars and territory Hard Tack Publishing Co., 31 Cornhill, Boston, Mass.

REUNIONS.

To SECRETARIES: Secretaries will greatly favor us by sending brief accounts of the Reunions of their respective organizations for publication in this column, immediately after the occurrence of the same. Also copies of rosters for flie and future reference.-EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE,

W. T. Stott, Franklin: The brigade composed of 1st Ind. battery and 18th and 8th Ind. held an excellent Reunion at Franklin Oct. 17. Col. Thos. Pattison, of Chicago, was present; also the widow of Col. H. D. Washburn. Hon. S. J. Peele gave the address. Reunion next year at Richmond, Ind., Oct. 16.

MASSACHUSETTS. The 24th annual Reunion of the 1st Mass. Cav. Columnset, will petition the next Legislature for an the next Reunion of the association during the Na-

was held at Boston Oct. 30. It was voted to hold tional Encampment of the G.A.R. next Summer The following officers were elected: President, Maj. Charles G. Davis; V.-P's, Maj. D. H. L. Gleason (at-large); Co. A. A. J. Stearns; B. W. G. Bosworth; C, Charles H. Newton; D, Charles Whiting; E. J. S. Carson; F. Chauncey E. Peck; G. Albert Keeler; H. S. W. Bartlett; I. William Finney; K. L. Bartell; L. N. W. Crain; M. J. B. Fisher; Secretary and Treasurer, E. A. Smith.

MICHIGAN. The 27th Mich, held a Reunion at Lansing Oct. 17, at which the following officers were elected: President, Oscar Hancock, Hiusdale; V.-P., James Campbell, Lansing; Sec. and Treas., John Van Horn, Portland. The next Reunion will be held in

By invitation of Eli Cook, late First Sergeant, Co. I, Berdan's 1st U. S. Sharpshooters, 23 of the survivors of the brigade held a Reunion at Comrade Cook's hospitable home, five miles west of Eaton Rapids, on Oct. 15, 16 and 17. Most of the veterans were accompanied by their wives, and all were handsomely entertained by Comrade Cook and his excellent lady, who were unwearing in their efforts to render the occasion one of enjoyment for all resent. An organization to be known as Michigan Association of Berdan's U. S. S. S. Brigade" was formed, and the following officers chosen: President, Eli Cook; V.-P., Edwin Nixon; Sec., H. L. Bedell; Treas., O. Wheelock. The 7th Mich. Cav. held a Reunion at Lansing recently, which was attended by nearly 100 survivors. Gov. Luce addressed the comrades in the afternoon, and in the evening a Campfire was held at which Judge Brown, Department Commander of Michigan, G.A.R., and others made speeches. Officers elected: President, Capt. J. L. Carpenter, Blissfield: Sec. Lieut. J. Q. A. Sessions, Ann Ar-

Reunion next year will be held at Battle Creek

NEW JERSEY. The 10th annual Reunion of the Veteran Assoation, 1st N. J. Cav., was held in the rooms of Bayard Post, No. 8, Trenton, Oct. 17. Officers elected: President, George A. Bowne, Middletown, N. J.; V.-P., Jacob Geiger, Cortiand, N. Y.; Sec. Charles F. Groselmire, 14 South St., Newark, N. J., with personal reminiscences, music and recitations. | Treas., Wm. H. Lambert, Dover, N. J.; Chap., Rich-Its beneficial work has been unusually large, hav-ing buried three comrades during the past year and relieved the necessities of their families; also, of a Trenton, on the third Thursday in October, 1890.

Campfire on Oct. 21. An excellent program of Oct. 23, and perfected a permanent organization. The following officers were elected: Vice-Presi dents, Harlow Pickens, Fly Creek; Randall D. Spencer, Hamilton, and E. Van Court, Plainfield, J.; Sec. and Treas., James E. Gerow, Camden The Reunion next year will be held at Sylvan Beach, in connection with that of the Central New

If Oscar Sheppard, Secretary of the Ohio Brigade, will communicate with THE NATIONAL TRIB-UNE he will learn something to his advantage. The annual Reunion of the 118th Ohio was held at Piqua Oct. 9 and 10. Owing to the fact that insufficient notice had been given, but 18 of the com-rades were present. They had a very enjoyable time, however, and decided to hold the next Reunion at Arcadia the second Wednesday and Thursday in October, 1890.

The 148th Ohio held its first Reunion at Marietta

Oct. 18, nearly 190 of the survivors being present. A permanent organization was formed, and Reunions will be held annually. The 92d Ohio held a Reunion at Marietta Oct. 17. and elected the following officers: President, Wm. Gibson; Sec., R. W. Calland, Summerfield. The 13th annual Reunion of the 52d Ohio was held at New Comerstown Oct. 22. Officers for the ensuing year: President, A. C. Thomas, Somerton Sec., N. B. Stewart, Edinburg; Rec. Sec., G. W.

PENNSYLVANIA. The survivers of the 97th Pa. held a Reunion at West Chester Oct. 29. The old officers were re-elected, as follows: President, Gen. H. R. Guss; V.-P.'s, Capt. William Wayne, Isaac A. Cleaver and Capt. George A. Lemaistre; Sec., Capt. W. S. Un derwood. A banquet was served in the evening. The 7th Pa. Cav. held a Reunion at Danville Oct. 22 and 23, and elected the following officers: Presi pains to decry the fact that a man could have sus-lained injuries during the war which would war-raint him in applying for a pension at this late day, let me cite an incident which came under my notice as a newspaper man on Saturday last. Chatting The 78th Pa. held a Reunion at Punxsutawney

Oct. 16, and elected the following officers: President, Capt. R. D. Ellwood; See's, Will A. Lowry, Butier, and H. H. Bengough, Pittsburgh; Treas. Capt. C. B. Gillespie, Freeport. CATABRH CURED. A clergyman, after years of suffering from that loath some disease Catarrh, and vainly trying every known remedy, at last found a prescription which completely

ters---Notes from the Departments.

HEADQUARTERS WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS, AUXILIARY TO THE G.A.R., ALLEGHENY, PA. Mrs. Annie Wittenmyre, National President. Mrs. Abbie Lynch, National Secretary.

OBJECTS OF THE RELIEF CORPS. To specially aid and assist the Grand Army of the Republic and to perpetuate the memory of their herole dead. To assist such Union veterans as need our help and protection, and to extend needful aid to their widows and orphans; to find them homes and employment, and assure them of sympathy and

Army Nurses, and of all loyal women who rendered loving service to their country in her hour of To inculcate lessons of patriotism and love of country among our children and in the communities in which we live; to maintain true allegiance to the United States of America; to discountenance whatever tends to weaken loyalty and to encourage the spread of universal liberty and equal rights

friends; to cherish and emulate the deeds of our

Women of good moral character and correct deportment, who have not given aid and comfort to the enemies of the Union, who would perpetuate the principles to which this association stands pledged, and who have attained the age of 16 years, shall be eligible to membership in the Woman's Relief Corps.

THE LATCH-STRING IS OUT.

National Headquarters have been established in Room 3, Telephone Building, 125 Sandusky street, Allegheny, Pa. The building is new and beautiful, and so centrally situated that it is easy of access from all the railroad stations in Pittsburg and

The room is large, light and beautiful, and is on the second floor. It is heated by natural gas and lighted by electricity, and is comfortably furnished. "The latch-string bangs out," and a hearty welcome in the name of Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty awaits every officer and member of the W.R.C. and the comrades of the G.A.R., from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. It is well that the W.R.C. has secured such a central, comfortable office, where the thousands of women who wear the badge of the Order when passing through can stop over for conference, encouragement and a frank and cordial interchange of views in regard to the best interests of the Order. Lest someone might think that a large sum of money is being spent for display that ought to go for charity, it seems proper to state that the entire cost of Headquarters for the whole year-rent, heat, light, janitor service and the furnishing-is less

than \$150. It is important that an organization of such magnitude, with so many valuable reports, books and documents should have a suitable place where they may be kept together, in order and accessible. CONGRATULATIONS OF COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF. Gen. Alger, Commander in Chief of the G.A.R.,

writing to the National President of the W.R.C., "I congratulate you upon the honors you wear. Anything I may be able to do in the interests of the W.R.C. will be attended to most cordially.

women who stood by the men in '61 to '65, and who

are there right hand now, I am, sincerely, yours,"

Bepartment Gleanings. DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA. DEAR TRIBUNE: Lincoln Corps, No. 3, San Frandsco, is doing good work, according to the following showing of the quarterly reports: Cash expended for relief during quarter ending September, 1889, \$333.30; value of clotting donated, \$71; proous donated, \$9.50; number of relief visits made, baked beans, pickled pork, crackers, dried tongue-etc., was served, after which addresses were made-etc., was served, after which addresses were madelow, and Senior Vice-President, Mrs. I. K. Hamlin, have been untiring in their labor of love, while the nances of the Corps have suffered a heavy drain, To replenish the relief fund the Corps will hold its

annual bazar. Kearsarge Corps, of Ukiah, proposes to hold a Campfire this month. The meetings of this Corps are most pleasant and profitable, and the members feel that they owe much to their President, Mrs. Templeton, for her able and courteous instruction. The regular monthly socials of Starr King Post and Corps, Santa Barbara, under the efficient oversight of Emma Gillingham, President, have become a very pleasant feature of the year's work and have proved to be productive of much good in promoting good feeling between Post and

Geraldine Frisble, Department President, has returned from the East and recommenced her duties with the energy and enthusiasm which characterizes her. She mentions that many regrets were expressed at the absence of Past National President Elizabeth D'Arcy Kinne, and Past National Counselor B. Jane Russell, of California. This is the first time that either has been absent from the National Convention for five years. -- Gertrude Gallagher, Department Corresponding Secre-

Liberty Corps, San Francisco, made such a success of their comedictta, socially and financially, that they will give a Bean Bag and Card Party, soon, for the same good cause.

J. F. Reynolds Corps, No. 57, Santa Cruz, is working hard to furnish a room in the Widows and Nurses' Home at Evergreen, which is rapidly ap-James A. Garfield Corps, No. 21, is holding a se ries of open meetings monthly, with varied amusements, such as progressive cucher, etc. These entertainments, under the management of ida

Drake, President, are very successful. DEPARTMENT OF OHIO. DEAR TRIBUNE: At the Reunion of the G.A.R. Battalion of the Fourth District of Ohio, held in Lima Oct. 16 and 17, Elizabeth Sutherland Herron, Department President of Ohio, W.R.C., at the urgent invitation of Department Commander Gen. Hu-st, also Col. B. M. Moulton, Chairman, Committee of Arrangements, was present, and spoke on several occasions. The Lima Gazette says of Mrs. Herron: "Comment is unnecessary on her power as a speaker, and her effort on this occasion was received with cheers and storms of applause." On the evening of the Campfire 2,500 persons were assembled in a large tent, where a high platform was erected, so the speakers could be seen and heard, Gen. Hurst, Mrs. Herron, Judge O'Nesl, Col. Mott, Col. Anderson, Senator Yoder and Gen. Gibson al-

made addresses, and were accorded well-merited applause. . . .

OHIO INSPECTIONS. DEAR TRIBUNE: I had the great pleasure of meet ing with Cleveland City Corps, No. 75, (formerly Austin Corps.) at Cleveland for Inspection. Since I met with them last they have moved into a far more pleasant room and have increased to almost double the number of members. Margaret T Young, a Department Aid, is President. The Corps is alive to good works and determined to succeed. I was especially pleased at the prompt bor; Treas., Judge H. P. Cobb, Bay City. The response the President received when calling upon members for committee work, and on ways and means of business to replenish the relief fund. Women are usually slow to respond to calls to express themselves, especially before strangers. They give an entertainment for relief in the near future, that they may be ready for the Winter's calls. The way the members responded to the call for supplies for the table for this coming enter-tainment was an encouragement in itself. I found here the lack of a Corps correspondent, and advised their having one. There are many good things happening in the Corps of our Department which, if reported in our NATIONAL TRIBUNE and our own bright little Record, would be of immense help to stone, located west of the Wheatfield. Rev. B. other Corps seeking information. The Corps has my thanks for a cordial reception.

Ella A. Chapman, Past Assistant Instituting and | The presentation speech was made by Hon. Installing Officer, and Past Treasurer of Buckley Corps, No. 23. When I met with them last they numpered 13 members; now there are 77. Their place of neeting was in a hall so large the little Corps was nearly lost in it. They were despondent at the outlook, the Post not being financially well-to-do, but holding on faithfully to their piedge. The Corps took up the work with fear and trembling, but with earnest endeavor, and behold the transformation-a small, but cosy, cheerful room, clean new matting on the floor, new chairs, new desks for Secretary and Treasurer, new altar, pictures on the walls, and every sign of prosperity. I find in examining the books that the Corps has done all this—the work of making a pretty Post and and Corps home, and have now added to them a fine Camp of Sons of Veterans. I know the Post is grateful to and proud of this brave little band of loving, loyal-hearted women.

The spirit that animates this Corps is shown by Mrs. Osborne, Secretary, who had not been out of her house in three weeks, owing to a sprained

ankle, but who came to the meeting, up stairs, on crutches, and, white with pain, staid throughout the meeting. She showed nicely-kept records, and the Treasurer's books were also correct. The President, Anna Blackburn, and Past President (now Senior Vice-President), Mrs. Church, are deserving of great credit for their work, as well as all the members for their loyal help to their officers. The spirit shown by No. 248 always wins. To them thanks are due for the kind sception to Mrs. Chapman and myself.—Sarah M.

. Battels, Past Department President. DEPARTMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA. DEAR TRIBUNE; The Department of Pennsylvania, W.R.C., at their last annual Convention seld in the city of Erie in February last, decided by a unanimous vote, to establish a Memorial Home, in which they could care for the destitute widows, mothers and wives of the soldiers, sailors and marines of the State, and the old, worn and lestitute veteran, with his wife; also with a view to earing for the soldiers' orphans when the State lays lown that work. A charter was secured, a Board of Directors and a Site Committee elected, and the Pennsylvania women along the line were ready to go to work when the awful Johnstown horror burst upon the Nation. The W.R.C. at once went to work for the sufferers, Mrs. Harrison, Department President, as soon as she had set the relief work in motion in her De-partment, hurried to Johnstown with money and

supplies, and for a time the Home project was laid

aside; but now it again comes to the front, and in

October the Site Committee and Board of Directors

met at Huntingdon, which meeting your correspondent had the pleasure of attending. Rev. T. L. Flood, President of the Board of Directors of the OF VETERANS. Home, having resigned, the meeting was called to order by Annie Wittenmyer, Vice-President. The first business in order was the filling of vacancies

News from the Various Divisions---Election of Officers, etc.



HEADQUARTERS BULLETIN

trees are clad in the gorgeous beauty of their Au-tumnal dress, we enjoyed the trip intensely until that name, so fraught with desolation, horror and HEADQUARTERS COMMANDERY-IN-CHIEF, SONS OF VETERANS, U. S. A., ROOM 3, STATE HOUSE, INDIANAPOLIS, IND. death-South Fork-smote upon our ears, and from Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 1, 1889. that point until we reached the doomed mountain General Order No. 2. city we gazed in silent awe upon the devastated course of that fearful flood. Soon the sand-covered I. The following officers of the Commandery-in-Chief have been appointed, with rank of Brigadier-General from Sept. 14, 1889, and will be honored area that marks the spot where busy Conemaugh Borough stood was reached, and anon we stoamed and obeyed accordingly : into Johnstown and stood upon the platform. We Chief of Staff-J. G. Winfrey, Evansville, Ind. felt like strangers in a distant land, for where were Chief Mustering Officer-James A. Rice, Oskaloothe hospitable homes where we were once wel-

comed; where the kindly, loving faces that once Chaplain-in-Chief-Clay D. Herod, Erie, Kan. greeted us? Alas! only the yawning cellars and Aids-de-Camp are hereby appointed on the staff of the Commander-in-Chief, with rank of Lieu-Proceeding to Kernville we found the family of tenant Colonel, from Sept. 14, 1889, as follows: Senior Aid, Col. Otis E. Gulley, Springdale, Ark. Colorado—Past Col. Frank C. McArthur, Denver. our friend and relative, S. Dean Canan, occupying their dismantled home. This residence, a large new brick, with mansard roof, withstood the flood, which reached about half way up the second story, Connecticut-Past Col. William H. Pierpont, New Haven; Capt. Edward Reisel, Hartford.
South Dakota—Capt. W. A. Rogers, Mitchell.
Illinois—Capt. A. L. Guilford, Chicago.
Indiana—Capt. O. P. Ensley, Auburn; Capt. John and Mr. Canan's family escaped to the attic, where they rescued that fearful night 69 persons, princi-

Our next move was to hunt up our W.R.C. friends, and we were fortunate in hitting upon the regular meeting of France Fisher Control W. Newton, Winchester; Capt. George H. Penington, New Albany; Capt. George P. C. Newman, Iowa-R. J. Miller, Oxford; G. L. Goodale, Lenox. Kansas-Capt, Edwin J. Bookwalter, Haltead. Kentucky-A. R. Dyche, Fred Singleton, Wm.

Boggers, Milton McFerran. Maine—Col. Edward K. Gould, Rockland.
Michigan—Past Col. Earle Hemenway, Hartford,
New Jersey—Capt. Arthur Vecelius, Paterson;
Capt. Harry Marchbank, Newark; Capt. George H. Perkins, Atlantic City. Rhode Island-F. C. Monroe, Riverside; W. E. Williams, Woonsocket,

there the mother whose children had been swept from her arms. In Emory Fisher Corps is foreibly shown the wonderful effects of organization among women as well as men, for while it lost seven mem-Wisconsin-Capt, William Rowe, Eau Claire, H. Ali official communications to Surg. Gen. bers by the flood, and all but four of the survivors were left homeless, the Corps has since met almost regularly, doing their work well, and rendering their reports to Headquarters in due time. This Brack low should be addressed to him at No. 408 West Forty-sixth street, New York City. Some of the was largely due to the Department officers-Mrs. Division Surgeons have failed to forward to the Surgeon-General their reports; others are late in forwarding because of delay in receiving reports of Morrison, Mrs. Lynch and Mrs. Duganne-who were early at the scene of disaster; who brought order out of chaos, and with such efficient aids as Mrs. Sias and Mrs. Jones, of Corps No. I, upheld Camps. These reports are important and must not be neglected. Colonels of Divisions will therefore see the hands of the stricken Corps. Then, when the that all Camps make prompt reports to the Division Surgeon. All Division Surgeons who have not yet reported to the Surgeon-General will do so imme-diately. Colonels of Divisions are hereby charged worst was over, their work was delegated to Clara Barton, who now, when the Red Cross Association is about to leave Johnstown, shows her confidence in those noble women of Emory Fisher Corps by with the enforcement of this order. III. No complete record of court-martial proceedturning over to them the relief supplies in her hands. We were assured by prominent citizens of Johnstown that no relief work was so judiciously ings is found in these Headquarters. It is therefore ordered that henceforth all papers and proceedor effectively done as that by the G.A.R. and W.R.C. | lngs in courts-martial shall be made out in dupli cate, and forwarded to these Headquarters for After calls upon Miss Clara Barton at Red Cross approval. One duplicate will be retained in these Headquarters and the other, with the action of the Headquarters, Mrs. S. M. Henry at Red Cross Hotel, and others of the W.R.C., we left at 5:30 p. m. for Commander-in-Chief indorsed thereon, will be re-

Pittsburg, where we found Corps No. 1 busily engaged in assisting Post 151, G.A.R., to which they are auxiliary, in holding a fair at Saulsbury Hall, on the South Side. This fair seems an assured V. All official communications to Adj't-Gen. Bookwalter and Q. M.-Gen. Homan should be awake Post and Corps that have it in hand, and addressed to them at Room 3, State House, Indianapolis, Ind. Confusion and delay has been occasioned by forwarding official business to them at Post and Corps. We next called at National Head-Fort Wayne and Danville, Ind., respectively. They are found daily at these Headquarters. VI. Walter S. Payne was on Sept. 19, 1889, redent, who had come on from Huntingdon. These Headquarters are handsomely located in No. 3 New ceived and mustered as a member of Camp No. 60, Sons of Veterans, U.S. A., Fostoria, O. He is now, therefore, a member in good standing of the Order of Sons of Veteraus, U. S. A., entitled to all the the G.A.R. or W.R.C.-Kate M. Scott, Correspondbenefits, courtesies and privileges as such, and his name will be erased from all black-books.
VII. Camps No. 263, Polk, O., and No. 319,
Fletcher, O., of the Ohio Division, having neither

made report nor paid per capita tax for three successive quarters, on recommendation of the Cologratifying. Corps instituted, 13; contributions in aid of Mrs. Essex, \$117.70; to start Department re-lief fund, \$26.28; for National Relief Corps Home, nel of said Division, their charters are hereby revoked. VIII. Consolidated reports for the quarter ending Sept. 31, 1889, show a large increase in membership over last report. Missouri Division (Col. Loch enstein) was the first to report, and shows a gain of 856 since last quarterly report. Division Colonels are urged to begin earlier the work of securing re-

ports from Camps, and report more promptly to these Headquarters. IX. The Colonel of each Division is urgently requested to have regularly forwarded to Q. M. Gen. Homan at these Headquarters each issue of the leading newspaper devoted to the interests of the Sons of Veterans, U.S. A., published in such Division. Such newspapers will be appropriately filed and preserved in these Headquarters as the prop-erty of the Commandery-in-Chief, and will ulti-

partment President of New Jersey, reports the visit | mately prove of great value. X. The long nights of the next four months will afford ample opportunity to do work for the Order. mates, 90 of whom were in the hospital, and sug-gests that Corps contribute such articles as alippers, urged to put forth unusual effort to increase our urged to put forth unusual effort to increase our handkerchiefs, dominoes and other games, also membership, popularity and influence. See to it reading matter, to the veterans. The Department that each member of every Grand Army Post in President recommends the New Jersey Corps to 2 and Thanksgiving hoxes of fruit and delicacies.

The W.R.C. of Ada, O., is preparing a silk autograph quiit, which, when finished, will bear the names of the leading men and women of the country. They expect to realize a considerable desire to work with and for them; not to usurp sum for their charity fund by their unique and beautiful work. Numbered tickets, 50 cents each.

Corps No. 21, Titusville, Pa., by their dining-hall and become familiar with the work, until every portion of it is performed with the true military precision. Make special effort to render each The Department of Massachusetts has offered a reward of \$10 for their beautiful flag, which was stolen from the Plankinton House, Milwaukee,

Nellie Spragne, Corresponding Secretary, Corps No. 12, North Muskegon, Mich., writes that Post predecessor. After paying the expenses of the Patand Corps are working in harmony together, and erson Encampment, he has turned over to this adthe Corps flourishing. The work of raising funds for Winter purposes has begun with a series of ministration \$1,263.48. The minutes and proceed for Winter purposes has begun with a series of entertainments, first, a silver wedding at the Commandery-in-Chief have not yet been transsentor Vice-President's, then a number of quilting cribed and turned over to me. Orders for constiparties, realizing the sum of \$60. Mrs. Perry, Department Inspector, visited and inspected the tutions and rituals will, therefore, be delayed until they may be filled by copies amended in accord-Corps, and by her thorough knowledge of the

ance with the action of the Paterson Encampment. By order of CHARLES F. GRIFFIN, Commander-C. A. BOOKWALTER, Adjutant-General.

THE DIVISIONS.

DELAWARE. Garfield Camp, No. 2, Wilmington, held a very interesting meeting on Oct. 21. Comrades from Du Pont Post, G.A.R., were present. The Camp Gettysburg. Rev. Beverly E. Warner, of was presented with a handsome pleture. This Camp is in a flourishing condition, and musters in new recruits at every meeting.

Bridgeport, offered the prayer, Serg't Patrick Wade, jr., of Bridgeport, presented the monu-DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. ment, Miss Henrietta Huss, of Mount Vernon, Logan Camp. No. 2. Washington, will hold a fair N. Y., unvailed it, and Gen. William H. Noble, from Dec. 9 to 19 inclusive. of Bridgeport, accepted it. Rev. Alexander R. ILLINOIS. Thompson, D. D., of New York City, delivered an oration, and J. M. Krauth, of Gettysburg, A new Camp has been organized at Harvard, with 15 charter members and the following officers; received the monument for the Memorial Asso-Captain, A. K. Palmer; First Lieut., P. E. Whittleton; Second Lieut., George Dunham.

RHODE ISLAND.

NEW YORK. held dedicatory exercises at their sarcophagus Merriam Camp, No. 52, Syracuse, will hold its annual ball at the Greyhound Hall, Nov. 21. Oct. 19, 1889, I paid a visit of inspection to Sher.

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The Regimental Monument Committee was since its organization a short time ago.

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Erhardt, Dwight, Ili.—Of all of lusth N. Y., for his cuse, is the one who has the matter in charge, and Lynde Harrison, of New Haven, and the rehis success is almost certain.

Charles M. Smith, who held the office of Captain ception of the monument on behalf of the Memorial Association by Lieut. Calvin Hamilton in the Auer company, Sons of Veterans, of Syracase, is doing some good work for the Camp system. He is soon to start a Camp at Verona,

PENNSYLVANIA. The ninth anniversary of Gen. J. F. Reynolds Camp, No. 4, was celebrated on Oct. 22, by a large gathering of brothers and comrades of the G.A.R. in the Camp Hall, No. 1025 South Third St., Phila-delphia, Capt, Harry N. Gouderback told of the progress made by the Camp since its organization. Lieut.-Col. Wm. B. McNulty made an address on the principles and objects of the Order, and addresses were also made by Senior Vice Commander Joins and Past Commander Wm. L. Curry, of Post No. 71; Commander Henry McGinnis and Adj't John M. Mackie, of The Navai Post; Maj. Michael Pulmer, of Post No. 71; Commander Etchel, of Post No. 10, and Bro. Frank O'Brien, of Camp No. the people of Bayfield, 1889." On the second 4. Refreshments were served to the visitors, all whom manifested a hearty interest in the welfare of the Camp.

We have received the roster of this Division. which shows a membership of 13 Camps and 438 EDITOR NATIONAL TRABUNE: Allow me to brothers. correct your report of the unvailing of the 4th A. K. Tilton Camp, No. 9, Pawtucket, held a Campfire on Oct. 23, which was attended by Col. The monument stands on Meade avenue, near T. A. Barton, accompanied by some of the members of his staff. Hancock avenue, and on the field of the second Gen. A. E. Burnside Camp, No. 5, Providence, day's fight, and not on the Mummasburg road. | will hold a grand fair sometime in December. Our bugler's name is Henry Hamm, not Hann. | WEST VIRGINIA.

> A New Problem. [Farm Journat.] ..

old), assisted by Mr. Siefall, formerly of the 2d Worse by half than the ben and a half probin the second day's fight .- D. T. BRAGAN, formerly Sergeant, Co. K, 4th N. Y. Cav., Brook- fathers, two daughters, one son, one daughter- wounds were received from lynxes that were in-law, one son-in-law, one granddaughter, and | wounded and desperate. There is an account there are only six persons in the family.

By Peck's Pat. Invisible Tubular Ear Cushions. III. A pocket cigar-case free to smokers of book free, Call or write F. Hiscox, 853 B'way, N. Y. "Tansill's Punch 5c, Cigar,

WILD BEASTS.

The Ferocious Monarchs of the Forest and Jungle.

BY DR. J. H. PORTER.

The Forest Cats of America-Ocelot, Lynx-Description of the Lynx-His Habits and Ferocity-Barely Attacks Man.



of the larger Felidæ; this was preceded the Smilodon group of the | it will be conformable with the best accounts Western Continent fur- that have been given, to say that the former is THE OCELOT. nished forms as for-

toothed species of the Old World. structive.

sub-arctic parallels.



THE SPOTTED LYNX.

way of introduction to those more conspicuous animals in which most people will always feel the greatest interest. Several species (Dr. Gray) or varieties, as Locktington and others hold, of the ocelot-Felis pardalis-are destributed from

ARKANSAS TO PATAGONIA. It is an exceedingly handsome animal, as a of its tail, and weighs about 25 pounds. The ground color fluctuates between a tawny-yellow and reddish-gray, and its markings consist of somewhat elongated and irregularly-shaped borders of black, inclosing a portion of the coat would avail nothing to write a descriptive one reasons: catalog of the smaller American cats, and they are merely identified for the purpose of facilitating any further investigation that may seem In one the pelage bears a certain resemblance in coloring to that of the jaguar; in the other it more or less closely approximates in hue to the puma's skin. Taken together, these miner the puma's skin. representatives of our great feral cats are organically very similar, and have much the same habits of life; all being carnivorous, predatory, nocturnal and bloodthirsty. They take their prey after the same manner as the leopard, and exhibit on a small scale all the characteristic traits of their family. More restricted to meeting of your Camp bright and interesting, and secure the attendance and co-operation of every member.

| Still traits of their family. More restricted to a decidedly equinoctial range than the occlot, all of Co. B, 71st Ind.; by Henry Ensininger, 307 Park street, Des Moines, Iowa.—Of all of Co. G, guay and the intervening regions, a smaller, XII. Partial settlement has been made with my | more typical and rougher-coated creature than the former. There are two species (Mivart) of this genus, and of these one is called ocelot-like cat, from its resemblance to that animal in coloration, while the other, like the colocollo, is incompletely striped. The latter also has a short, broad skull, whereas in the yaguarondi cat and the eyra, the head is elongated and flattened vertically. Neither of these last-named animals are spotted; the first varies from blackish to reddish-gray, while the eyra, which has a slender form and short forelegs like a weasel, is of "a reddish-yellow or

chestnut-tint." We now come to the lynx, which is quite a also whose geographical distribution is very wide, embracing America from the Valley of Mexico to beyond the northern frontier of Mexico to beyond the northern frontier of Canada, and regions widely contrasted in their physiography in Asia, Africa and Europe. On this continent the Spotted, Red and Canada lynx exists only as varieties, and the latter is united. exists only as varieties, and the latter is united with that of Northern Europe in one speciesthe Felis borealis. The Red lynx inhabits the region lying between the southern reaches of the Rio Grande and the Middle States, while in case of the Spotted lyax it is definitely connected with the Canadian form by a series of colorations representing every possible tran-

sition tint. Our information respecting the character and Our information respecting the character and habits of this specific form of cat is much more phia; by W. A. Stevens, Cambridgeport, Mass. full than was the case with its puma and New York.-Of Adolph Giltzen, Martin Miller, Madison County. Brother Geo. Grant, of Syra- But although a good deal has been written about the Felis borealis,

NO CIVILIZED SPORTSMAN hunts the animal as game, and the most that hunts the animal as game, and the most that has been said is communicated, so to speak, incidentally, and not in the connected way in which many of the other Felidæ are described, In general, the lynx is spoken of as a wild, It N. Y. H. A.; by John McCune, South Dayton, In general, the lynx is spoken of as a wild, solitary and shy creature, loving solitude and and that, as Webber says of our lynx, and Lloyd of that of northwestern Europe, the creature is neither uniformly timid, nor does it altogether confine itself to uninhabited places. Springer probably meant the lynx when he spoke of "that animal in our forests, evidently belonging to the feline race, which is called, on account of its ferocity, the Indian Devil-Lunksoos." The lynx is ferocious, and bloodthirsty to excess, but it does not devour Indians, and in all probability its reputation originated www. S. in Florida war; by W. N. Littel, Charles City, Iowa.—Of Guy Harin its ugliness. Our Canada lynx has a massive head, with pointed and tufted ears, a powerful jaw set with teeth which seem to be disproportionately large, thick limbs, and broad feet having long, sharp and strong claws. 'The footpads are more or less covered with hair, its size is but little inferior to that of the wolf, and the coat, which in Winter assumes a gravish hue, is longer, thicker, and more staring than U. S. Grant Camp, Wheeling, will celebrate its that of the Red or Spotted varieties. Alto-second anniversary on Nov. 18, by an elaborate gether, it is an ill-looking creature, and what is known of its character entirely corresponds with its aspect. Capt. Baldwin states that the young Red lynx may be readily domesticated; neither Butler, Ward, Dunrayen or Hardy refer to the animal as dangerous to man, and in lem is this: A certain family consists of one | the only certain cases which have come under grandfather, two grandmothers, one father-in- | the author's notice where hunters have been inlaw, two mothers in-law, three mothers, two jured-those of Lieut. Aberg and Lloyd-the by Watson of a different kind, but it is not offered here as undoabtedly true. He relates that a certain wood cytter named Smith was attacked by a lynx in the forests of northern | his G.A.R. or S. of V. Price List. Sent free.

Maine. The man, so the story goes, was unarmed, and ascended a small tree, but the anis mal running up another in the immediate vicinity, sprang again and again from that position upon the lower part of his body, and succeeded in desperately wounding him before he was driven off. This may be true, but the only comment which it seems desirable to make upon it is to the effect that the more an acquaintance with the literature of wild beasts or with the animals themselves, increases, the greater does the disinclination to doubt their capabilities become, until at length there is a tendency to deny nothing which is not manifestly impossible

Here, as in Europe, those peculiarities which have been noted among lynxes are, as Prof. Nilsson observes, mainly "attributable to age, sex, and the season of the year." In effect, these circumstances, with that natural variation which belongs to the plasticity of life, and which under certain con itions is propagated by heredity, covers almost all the diversities riod, the homes of most belonging to those spoken of.

but in the era by which IN RELATION TO ITS TEMPER AND HABI-TUDES

fierce and unsocial, and that being nearly as midable as those represented in the great saber- large as a wolf, and well provided with means of offense, the creature might readily become a Now, with the exception of the jaguar, dangerous antagonist even to a man. It is for who is the third in size among existing the most part nocturnal in its habits, like felines, the cat-mammalia of America contain other cats, but when pressed by hunger roams no animals which attain large dimensions, and | the forest in search of prey at all hours. Usunone that are particularly dangerous, although, ally its retreat is in the depths of virgin forests, no doubt, some of them are sufficiently de- and it prefers those which clothe the sides of mountains. During the pairing season the The habitat of this Western group is, for the | male wanders widely in search of a mate, but most part, either tropical or sub-tropical; and | having found one, the pair, with their subsegenerally the Felidae are more numerous and | quent family, which remain till nearly full powerful in warm countries, although by no grown with the mother, commonly confine means confined to the lower isotherms. The | themselves to a cer'ain locality, and do not lion is found far south in Africa, where cold is | leave it unless compelled. The adult lynx is frequently severe, and also amid the snows of an expert climber, but is not habitually arbothe Atlas. Tigers range northward into the real, and the tales of his martin-cat and squirrel Valley of the Amoor and high Asia; the leop- | hunting among the branches of trees are withard on the Himalaya lives in a nearly arctic out foundation. When in pursuit of prey the climate, and the puma inhabits almost the lynx, if he does not stalk his game, usually whole of this homisphere, extending from the crouches on a ledge of rock, a bowlder or Straits of Magellan indefinitely north into the | stump or low limb, and springs upon the passing animal from thence; but the mode of his Natural history consists of something more attack differs with the creature assailed. If it than the identification of animals by their ex- is light enough to be overthrown by the moternal appearance and internal structure. No mentum of his spring, it is rolled over, the organic form now exists whose being was not | throat and chest are torn open, its blood lapped, foreshadowed in the distant past, and none will and the viscera-heart, lungs, etc., are eaten, hereafter live whose type is not found in the | while the flesh is often reserved for another meal. present world. There are, perhaps, but few | Should a deer be attacked, the lynx fastens certainties within the grasp of any age; but in | upon its shoulders so firmly that no exertion. ours those which most press for recognition are | no frantic rushing beneath overhanging boughs, the continuity of structures, the scope of their | can dislodge it, and in this position the neck is correlations and the unity of life and mind. lacerated by the claws until pain and exhaust-There is no doubt whatever that in order to | ion bring the quarry to the ground, when the understand itself as it is, humanity must look | victor proceeds as stated above. Ekstrom obbelow to find its rudiments as they were, and serves that whatever parts are left after the it needs no prophetic forecast to be assured that | first repast the lynx invariably hides, either general physiology is among those factors of | in some dense brake or in the crevices among knowledge destined to affect the future most rocks, or amid the higher branches of trees. It is powerfully. In order that these sketches may also said by observers that this animal possesses have some completeness-but more, that they | the principal domestic virtues, that he is faithmay subserve the only purpose a sketch can | ful to his consort, and that both he and his mate ever compass, the suggestion of inquiry-some | are tender and attentive parents. On the other mention of the smaller Felidæ is made in the hand he is very ferocious, and his useless destructiveness can scarcely be exceeded. Acording to Lloyd "the lynx is, beyond doubt, the most destructive beast that ranges the northern forests." Skoldberg reports an instance of a female lynx with her two cubs killing 23 sheep on one occasion, all of which they left untouched, with the exception of a small portion of the neck in one or two animals. Lloyd reiterates Capt. Baldwin's assertion with regard to the facility with which the Felis borealis may be tamed when taken young, but it would appear from the accounts given of their experiments by these gentlemen, that they never kept any specimens after they were young. Oterdaal states that when dogs are used in lynx hunting the loss of life among them is heavy, but so far as the present writer's acquaintance with the subject goes, there is no authentic case of a man having been attacked and killed by a lynx. (To be continued.)

THE QUESTION SQUAD.

Veterans Anxious to Find Their Comrades-Who Can Ald Them? [To Inquirers: All names, companies, regiments rule, measures from 26 to 33 inches to the root and addresses must be written plainly, as it is a waste of space and useless to print requests for information, etc., when there is liability of mistake. to write directly to the persons asking for the

information, and not to The NATIONAL TRIBUNE. Information or the addresses of the followdotted with one or more spots of black. It | ing-named persons are greatly desired for vari-ARKANSAS.-Of Henry and Ben Niel, colored, at Little Rock in 1863, 64 (regiment unknown); by Mrs. Matilda Wiseley, 'Jauphine, Mo. desirable. So far as the skins of this group are concerned, they form two general divisions, although within each there exists much variety.

DAROTA.—Of George H. Corey, Berdan's S. S., lately in Dakota; by J. T. Hall, Memphis, Tenn.

ILLINOIS.—Of J. H. Craig, Co. I, 2d Ill. Cav.; by J.

D. Brown, Weldon, Ill.—Of comrades of Co. E, 22d

Iowa, - Of Surgeons Clinton Helm, Nathan Stephenson, Thomas Winston, all 92d Ill.; by W. D. McLaughlin, Rotate, Kan. Indiana .- Of Dr. Lewis, Surgeon, 11th Ind. Cav.; by N. D. Hubbard, Beatrice, Neb .- Of all 1st Ind. battery; by George Nester, Evansville, Ind .-- Of all of Co. C, 91st Ind.; by Lemnel Wilson, Dexter, Kan .- Of William Dyke, Co. I, 9th Ind. Cay., and 128th Ind.; by J. A. Hickman, East Portland, Ore.

Iowa.—Of James K. McCandlass, Co. D; C. L. Dixon, Co. H; Michael Cheeseman, Co. A; Corp'l Mowlan, Co. L; Corp'l Herriman, Co. K, all lat Iowa Cav.; by T. G. Harmon, Kerby, Ore. KENTUCKY,-Of Dr. Marsh, Surgeon, Hospital No. 5, Lexington, Ky., in February, 1864; by David Green, Glen Rock, Neb. MARYLAND.—Of any who knew writer as nurse at Patterson Park Hospital, Baltimore, in 1862, '63; by Kate M. Duncan, Emmetsburg, Iowa. Michigas, Of all of 13th Mich, battery; by Aus-

tin D. Hoffman, 1308 Vashington avenue, north, Minneapolis, Minn.—Of Martin Stark, Co. G. 11th Mich.; by Tom Kerby, Perry, Kan.—Of L. V. Brigham, Co. C. 4th Mich.; by Mrs. Mary E. Brigham, Leavenworth, Kan.—Of all of Co. F. 3d Mich. by John North Association Mich.; by John Nealy, Arcola, Ill. MISCELLANEOUS. -Of Joseph Morrison, who cross well-known member of the cat family, and one | ed plains to California with writer in 1852, serving at time in some California or Colorado regiment; by H. F. Lyke, Oconomowoe, Wis. -- Of comrades, especially the Surgeon, of Pioneer Corps, First Bri-

Gen. John R. Curtis; by John H. Lake, Boothbay, Missouri.-Of Daniel Sager, last heard from in Missouri; by George W. Sager, Olney, Ill.—Of Anderson P. DeBourd, A. McQuoid, J. Souverly, M. Vannever, J. Vice, all of Co. B, 3d Mo. Cav.; by J. S. Winterbottom, Rulo, Neb. Navy.—Of all of crew of United States Steamers

Entaw, Crusader, and Monitor Sangus; by William mmons, 1432 Wharton street, Philadelphia. -- Of Dr. John Flynn ttached to United States Steamer Erhardt, Dwight, Ill. - Of all of lusth N. Y., for history purposes; by George H. Washburn, 42 East Main street, Rochuster, N. Y.—Of Lieut, Henry Burnett, Serg t W. T. Cates, E. Eldredge, W. D. Revere, all Co. K. 133d N. Y.; by A. E. Wright, 24

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ris, Co. G, 4th U. S. Cav.; by Isane Harris, Ramsey, III. -- Of all of Co. K, 6th U. S., 1810-'44; by Stephen D. Kimball, Delphos, O .-Williams, in Mexican war, of 8th U. S.; by J. C.

Turner, Faribault, Minn.
RHODE ISLAND, Of Albert Langley, William Brooks, George W. Harvey, Giles Huntley, John Dempsey, J. W. Drury, Ira W. Hopkins, all 2d R. I.; by Stephen H. Kettle, Noose Neck, R. I.
TENNESSEE,—Of any of Wolford's Brigade captured at Philadelphia, Tenn., in October, 1863; by David Green, Glen Rock, Neb. VERMONT.-Of George E. Clough, Co. G, 3d Va., formerly at Mount Pleasant, Iowa; by Henry A. Clough, North Troy, Vt.—Of all of Co. C, 1st Vt. Cav., especially Patrick Cronin; by N. M. C. Swan,

Edenton, N. Y. Virginia.—Of David McLain, John Mowry, Wilcox and Hatfield, with writer on Belle Isle in 1864; by David Green, Glen Rock, Neb. Recently Incorporated.

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